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After she gave it she repented,
And now as penance for that one kiss
She asks a poem—I'll give her this.

But how can my song be my very best
When she, with a voice as soft as Circe's,
Has charmed the heart from my lonely breast—
The heart, the fountain of all true verses?
Why, oh, why should a maid do this?
No—I must give back her kiss.
—R. U. Johnson in Century.

OUR PHANTOM GUIDE

"Any light out there? My, but it's dark, and the roadbed seems to have been washed away. Say, Hugh, whatever are we to do after losing our way in this fashion?"

Hugh McClure and I had been shooting over a Perthshire moor, and dallying too long after game had been caught in the descending night and the far more unpleasant descending rainstorm.

"Blest if I know," answered Hugh, wading his way out of a mudhole and shaking himself like a huge Newfoundland dog.

"Gents, I can guide you to a place of shelter," said a deep, hollow voice beside us. We both sprang back, for there, but a few feet away, stood a horse and his rider, the dark mass being partially distinguishable from the darkness of the night around.

That a horseman should be in a place where it was difficult for a pedestrian to get a secure footing was strange enough in all conscience, but that he should have apparently risen up among us without any warning whatsoever was stranger still.

"How did you ever steer your horse down here?" I queried in a tone that I tried to make one of surprised pleasure, but miserably failed in the attempt.

"I have lived on the borders of this moor all my life," replied the voice, "and my horse knows every foot of the way since he was a foal."

This explanation was satisfactory enough for men in desperate circumstances. Hugh and I thanked him for his proffered services and requested him to lead the way. We sought to obtain a glimpse of his features, but they were wrapped in the invulnerable gloom of the night.

As he passed I noticed that his horse was a very tall one and that its eyes shone through the darkness like the eyes of a gigantic cat, but with a far more unearthly and ferocious light than that of the docile grimalkin curled up before the fire, speculating profoundly on the rise and fall of stock in the rodent market.

The horseman rode a short distance in advance, holding in his beast occasionally to enable us to catch up. It was a hard task to do so. The rain was descending in torrents. The wind howled and whistled across the moor. At every step we sank above our boot tops and often almost to our knees.

A vivid flash of lightning shot across our way. For an instant the features of our mysterious guide and the form of his steed were revealed. He was half turned in his saddle and was glancing back at where we were floundering behind. His face was like the face of a skeleton covered over with tightly drawn skin, through which two malicious eyes gleamed with a vindictiveness that was startling in its intensity. Over his form and over that of his horse were cast some long robes that looked like the trappings of a funeral car, the horse's head being also enveloped, save for two eyelets, through which it surveyed us with the blazing eyes of an unbroken mustang. The rider wore a tall hat like those worn by our forefathers 100 years ago and with something fastened around the brim that I could have sworn was a bow of crape.

"For God's sake, stop, Hugh!" I cried, holding his arm. "Did you see that fellow's face? I do believe he is no living man. Not of our world anyhow."

Hugh McClure was as practical a Scotchman as ever failed to appreciate a joke or pass an examination in Edinburgh university.

Through the opaque night I could feel his withering glance of scorn as he made answer, "If you want to talk of ghosts in the middle of this God forsaken spot in this heaven condemned weather, you can do so, Percy, but you shan't have me for an audience," and he forged on, calling to our guide:

"In the name of the first pilot, how long will it be before you can steer us to the world again?"

The hollow voice came echoing back:

"One mile to the right is a cottage where we can find shelter. Come on!"

"A mile of this!" wailed Hugh. "Oh, my sins have been many, but what I suffer tonight should atone for all!"

We had, however, passed the worst portion of our journeying, and the footing now became more secure. Still the rain descended in sheets, and the wind blew with a force that ofttimes threatened to sweep us off our feet.

Like a far distant star we at length saw a light ahead. It appeared, then disappeared, then appeared again.

"There is the cottage," said our guide. "We will reach it soon now."

"What a mean fellow not to offer us a lift on his horse!" grumbled Hugh. "I certainly have enough trouble to keep my own footing not to have to guide a horse over these bottomless holes, but he might have been civil enough to make the offer anyway."

We were now proceeding over the soft, damp turf of the moor, and I had frequently stopped from time to time to feel if the horse left any tracks behind him. Not the trace of a track could I find.

"Hugh," I whispered, "that horse is leaving no tracks behind him."

"Do stop your ghost stories," said Hugh impatiently. "Anyhow, restrain them until we get out of this lost part of Scotland."

After half an hour's trudging we stood before the cabin from whence the light had proceeded. It was a small, mud walled concern covered with a thick roof of thatch. Two little windows on either side of the narrow door had their shutters up, and through the jagged chinks the rays of a strong illumination within shone brightly.

"Go right in and make yourselves at home, while I take my horse to stable," said our mysterious guide as he turned off to the rear of the hut.

We pushed open the door. The apartment we entered was a large one, much larger than the outside of the hut would lead us to believe, but what astonished us the most was the luxurious manner in which it was furnished. Heavy tapestries covered the four walls, a thick Turkish carpet was spread upon the floor, four chairs of solid mahogany, two lounges of the same material, all upholstered in the richest velvet, a huge bureau of polished pine and a mahogany table were situated in various parts of the room, the lounges standing temptingly before the wood fire that crackled up the chimney unrestrained by any grate. A hanging lamp suspended from the cross beam, whose shade seemed studded, if not with actual jewels, with wonderful imitations thereof, cast a brilliant, almost dazzling, light over all.

"Well," said Hugh as soon as he could realize the situation. "This seems like a fairy tale, but then in a fairy tale this would be an enchanted castle and not an enchanted hut. Ah, but those lounges look tempting, however! This must be some great man's shooting box, though it looked very unlike one from the outside as well as I could see. That man you took for a ghost must be the owner. His invitation for us to make ourselves at home sounded as if he was. Well, I would not mind meeting such a ghost again under like circumstances, from which circumstances, however, may heaven forefend!"

We were so tired and wet, and this apartment being evidently the only one in the house, we proceeded to undress and hang up our garments to dry. Under one of the sofas Hugh had discovered two dressing gowns of superb finish, which we calmly appropriated, and our host delayed so long about rejoining us we lay down on the lounges and were soon sleeping as worn and weary wayfarers alone can sleep.

What sounded like the clash of a mighty cymbal brought me erect on my feet and wide awake after enjoying a much needed and refreshing sleep. I looked about. The lamp had gone out. So, too, had the fire. But in the center of the room a pillar of light seemed to descend from the roof to the floor. In the midst of the pillar was the upright form of a venerable old man. His head was thrown back, his long, white hair falling in a mass over his shoulders. His great beard covered his entire chest. He was clad in an ox's skin, fastened by a hempen girdle. His bare arms, powerful and sinewy, were bound behind him to a shadowy stake, and his naked feet—merciful heavens!—were resting upon live coals of fire. On looking closer at the face I saw a look of hopeless, unspeakable anguish thereon, but not a moan escaped from the writhing lips. As I stood horror stricken, a sweet female voice rose and swelled in a weird wild chant of heart piercing sadness. The words were Gallic, but the tones in which they floated through the silence of the room were the tones of a soul to whom hope is lost forever. As it ended, a mocking laugh rang loud outside the window and was followed by a horse's neigh. We knew from the cold blast that rushed in that some one had opened the door. Simultaneously the specter disappeared. I felt an awesome presence not of earth approaching.

Hugh's voice gasped in my ear, "For God's sake, let us fly!"

Dressed only in the gowns we had discovered, we rushed madly to the door. As we passed its threshold, we heard behind us a yell of disappointed rage that made the blood run cold in our veins.

We dashed on blindly, panic stricken. At length toward morning we met a party of hunters, who at first very naturally took us for a pair of escaped lunatics roaming aimlessly on the moor and clad in two old tattered, mildewed dressing gowns that had seemed such handsome dresses when we first saw them in the hut. On our relating our adventures their voices rose in a mutual cry of astonishment.

"Aweel! Aweel!" exclaimed the eldest of the hunters, a grizzled veteran, with the snows of some 60 winters on his head. "Ye air th' first men that ever slep' in the laird's hut and lived to tell the tale."

We begged him to explain, for sick and scared as we were we were anxious to know what we had escaped from.

"The hut," said the old hunter, "was occupied o'er 80 years agone by the laird of Knockeranie, the eighth of the name. On his young wife dying he betook himself and his infant daughter to it. He furnished it from the castle. Then he shut himself out from the world. No one ever saw him, but when his daughter got to be a guid pert girl she used to be heard singing, tho' few o'er cast eyes on her. It was said that the laird had mickle gowd hid in the hut, and one night robbers broke in, killed the daughter and her father after almost burning his feet off trying to make him tell where his money was hid. A horse and his rider were found drowned in the marsh next morning, and they do say he was one of the murderers, for blood stains the water could not remove were on his clothes. He is said to haunt the marsh yet, so's to bring lost folks to the hut whar the murder was, and whoever enters the door is never seen again."

I tell the story as it happened. Whether we were suffering from temporary aberration, caused by the germs of a fever that laid us low for many days, I leave for others to decide, but Hugh and I often gaze in awe at the old dressing gowns we still possess, the relics of that terrible night.—Vere V. Hunt in Chicago Tribune.

A FLORIST'S FAKE.

The Story of the "Blanket of Flowers" on Mrs. Astor's Grave an Invention.

Many women have visited Trinity cemetery, One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and Amsterdam avenue, in the past few days to see the marvelous "blanket of flowers" which was said to "cover the casket" of Mrs. William Waldorf Astor, and which was to be "renewed every morning for a year" by Mr. Astor's order. Mrs. Astor was buried on Jan. 9, not in a vault, but in a grave, in the northwestern corner of the Astor plot. On the day of the funeral the mound of earth was covered with pine boughs. The evergreens have not been removed, and except at one corner, which has been uncovered by inquisitive visitors, the grass is covered with snow. The laborers in the cemetery have swept a path through the burial plot, and about the grave a path has been trodden by men and women.

The cemetery employees have grown very tired of having their word doubted by women who inquire the way to the Astor vault and the blanket of flowers on the coffin. No flowers at all have been placed on the grave, and they can see for themselves that none can be put on the casket. So the women insist that the coffin is not in the grave, but in the vault of John Jacob Astor, and they ask to have the vault opened, so that they can see this wonderful covering. Although the man explains to them how impossible and useless it would be to comply with their requests, they depart unsatisfied and doubting his word.

The old gatekeeper, who has been employed about the cemetery 22 years, has to bear the brunt of their inquiries and disappointments. He said that the other evening, just as he was closing the gates, two women beggdd for admittance, saying that they had come all the way from East New York to see the flowers and would not go home unsatisfied. Some come from other states, and two came from what seemed to him the antipodes—Staten Island.

All this annoyance and disappointment is due to Joseph Fleischman, a florist, of Broadway. On the morning of the funeral he told the reporters that he had the contract to supply fresh flowers every day for a year for the grave. For this he was to receive $100 a day, he said, and in all he would receive $40,000 from Mr. Astor. On the day after the funeral Mr. Fleischman sent to the newspaper offices a typewritten story of the alleged contract given to him by Mr. Astor. He was, he said, to furnish 4,000 fresh lilies of the valley and 4,000 violets each day. He repeated the statement yesterday to a reporter of The Sun, and then, being confronted with the facts, admitted that he had invented the whole story.

Superintendent Otto Meurer of the cemetery and his brother Albert, who is sexton of Trinity church chapel and had charge of the funeral, say that no such order for flowers was given by Mr. Astor to anybody.—New York Sun.

THE ANTITOXINE DISCUSSION.

Professor Drasche's Criticism Unfavorable to the New Diphtheria Remedy.

The physicians of two or three European capitals are beginning to find serious drawbacks to the use of the new remedy for diphtheria. The subject was carefully discussed at the Medical society in Vienna this week. Professor Drasche's criticism was unfavorable to the new method, owing to the effects which he had observed in 30 cases. He found that injections of Behring's antitoxine serum affected the kidneys seriously. This observation was corroborated by other doctors. They said that in the presence of this fact it could no longer be believed that the injection had no injurious effects. It could not be a matter of indifference that a patient who was recovering from a dangerous illness should be subjected, through this remedy, to a further serious malady.

Up to the present time, for observations have been much too short to permit a final decision as to the value of the treatment, it is clear that its application should be limited. With regard to the statistics which were supposed to prove its success Professor Drasche said that in diphtheria, bare figures were no evidence.—London Letter.

A Debutante's Remark.

That the debutantes of the season of 1894-5 do not rely upon their appearance alone for success in the social swim, but have a fancy for conversational distinction, is evidenced by the following remarks, overheard at one of the introductory "teas:" "Miss Rosebud, I want you to know Mr. Legal Lore and be very nice to him, for he is one of the lights of the Washington bar and a very brilliant speaker," said one of the old beaus, presenting at the moment a well known young lawyer.

"Why is it," chirped Miss Rosebud, in answer, "that all bright particular 'stars' have to go about with a tag on them, calling attention to their brightness?" Needless to say the conversation languished.—Washington Post.

A Question Making Much Noise.

A discussion is raging in Erie over a question propounded by a schoolteacher to her class, "If a tree located in a forest should fall and no one should see it, would it make a noise?" The question has created much discussion among the pupils to whom it was presented, and it has spread into older and wider circles. The debate turns upon the theory that sound exists only in the ear, and that there can be no sound where there is no ear to receive and respond to the atmospheric waves.—Oil City Blizzard.

Each Had a Dog.

The elevator in the Victoria hotel lifted the following load the other day: Mrs. Kendal, Mrs. Kendal's dog and Mr. Kendal. Miss Sibyl Sanderson, Miss Sibyl Sanderson's dog and her fiance, Antonio Terry, Mrs. Langtry and Mrs. Langtry's pup. No wonder the country's going to the dennition bowwows.—New York Letter

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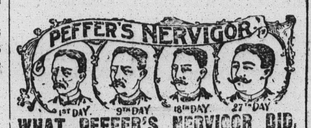

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H. H. GRANICE - - - - - - - - - - - EDITOR

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

Treasury Robbery — Bondsmen of Ex-Treasurer Stofen to be Sued.

Bridge Contracts Let---Fish and Game Law---Other Matters.

FRIDAY, March 8th, 1895.

A petition was received by the Board of Supervisors from the inhabitants of the Russian River district praying for a change in game and fish laws. The petition was short and to the point, but the paper of signatures was about twenty feet long. The petition prayed that the ordinance of Sonoma county relating to fish be so amended as to allow salmon or salmon trout, suckers, hardmouths, pike and carp to be caught with net, trap, spear, gig or gill-nets, between the first of April and the first of November,

Fish Commissioner Babcock addressed the Board at Friday's session on the importance of allowing the ordinance to remain valid,

On motion the petition was denied, it appearing that the privileges asked for would be in violation of certain sections of the Penal Code.

In the matter of maps for the County Assessor the Supervisors postponed consideration until the April session of the Board.

The bill of $56 presented by Supervisor Joost for Stewart's Road District was allowed.

The action transferring from the General Fund $863.80 to the fund of estates of deceased persons and $135.80 to the tax sale redemption fund was rescinded by the Board.

The following bids for the reconstruction of the board bridge were received: Cotton Bros., $1,150; J. O. Burkhalter, $1,340; J. M. Wiley, $1,015. On motion of Supervisor Gray the bids were all rejected and the Clerk was instructed to readvertise. The bridge is to be constructed on the old site, although a number of Dry Creek residents petitioned the Board to build it in a different location, claiming that by so doing a larger number of people would be accommodated. Bids will be received up to April 2nd.

The bid of Collins & Weeks for the county meat supplies was accepted.

Contracts for furnishing grocery supplies were awarded to Murray & Seegelken, King & McCallum, E. A. Wilson and Brophy & Son.

The following bids for the construction of a bridge over Sousal Creek were read: J. O. Burkhalter, $480 for fourteen-foot roadway and $451 for twelve-foot roadway; J. P. Goddard, $585; J. M. Wiley, $390 for eighteen-foot roadway and $370 for sixteen foot roadway; Bryan, Osborne & Co., $549 for eighteen-foot roadway and $532 for sixteen-foot roadway. The bid of J. M. Wiley being the lowest and best was accepted by the Board.

The following bids were received for the construction of a bridge over East Austin Creek: J. O. Burkhalter, $870; Healey, Tibbits & Co., $875; H. A. Richardson, plan No. 1, $660; plan No. 2, $825; J. M. Wiley, $650. The bid of H. A. Richardson was accepted.

The following bids were received for the construction of a bridge over McPeak Gulch at Camp 6: J. M. Wiley, $260; J. P. Goddard, $345. The bid of J. M. Wiley was accepted.

SATURDAY, March 9th.

The Board met in adjourned session, Chairman Hall presiding.

The reports of Jailor Weise, Dr. M. M. Shearer, County Farmer Yates, A. J. Atchinson, Auditor; E. F. Woodward, Treasurer; J. M. Cheney, Justice; P. N. Stofen, Treasurer to January 7th and Gil. P. Hall, Auditor, were examined and accepted by the Board.

A motion was offered by Supervisor Hayden in regard to a suit against ex-County Treasurer Stofen and his bondsmen as follows: "In the matter of P. N. Stofen as County Treasurer of the county of Sonoma, it appearing that P. N. Stofen was duly elected, qualified and acting County Treasurer of the county of Sonoma for the two years preceding the 7th day of January, 1895; it appearing from the books and records of the County Auditor and from the verified statement of the Chairman of the Board of Supervisors and District Attorney filed in the office of the County Clerk, as required by law, on the 7th day of January that the total amount of funds and moneys received by the said Treasurer for and belonging to the said county of Sonoma during the month preceding the 1st of January, 1895, was $352,369.59 and that the total amount of funds and moneys disbursed and paid out by said Treasurer on county warrants or by orders of the Board of Supervisors or on orders of the Superior Court was $134,009.41, and whereas it appears from said statements, books, accounts and records that there ought to have been in the County Treasury on the 1st of January the sum of $218,360.18 belonging to said county, leaving a balance of $7,815.79 belonging to the county unaccounted for and unsettled, and whereas the Treasurer in his returns to the Board reports that on the 28th day of December, 1894, by means of force and violence and against his will the sum of $7,815.79 was taken from his possession and stolen and carried away, and whereas said P. N. Stofen and his bondsmen refuse and neglect to account or pay to the Board of Supervisors or the County Auditor as required by law it is ordered by the Board that the District Attorney for and on behalf of the county take action in the Superior Court against P. N. Stofen and his bondsmen M. Doyle, A. P. Overton, Con Shea, J. H. Brush and Hollis Hitchcock." It was so ordered.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

Department 1—Dougherty, J.

PROBATE.

Estate and guardianship of E. M. Feehan—John Feehan appointed guardian; $200 bond to each minor.

Estate of John Harper—Annual account settled and allowed.

Estate of James N. Denman—F. H. Denman appointed administrator; bond of $2,000.

Estate of Edrich T. Hutchings—Minnie R. Hutchings appointed administrator; bond of $1,250.

Estate of Mary A. Denman—F. H. Denman appointed administrator; bond of $2,000.

Estate of Martin P. Denman—F. H. Denman appointed administrator; bond of $2,000.

Estate of Anton Kiser—First annual account settled and allowed.

Estate and guardianship of Louis Demetz—Continued to April 8th.

Estate of W. W. Carriger—Continued to March 18th.

Estate of John Walker—Order to sell property.

PROBATE.

People vs. Frank Hart—On motion of District Attorney information dismissed and defendant discharged.

People vs. Quinn—Sentence continued to March 12th.

Department 2 — Crawford, J.

Sam Granger, insolvent debtor—Continued to March 18th.

Cruston vs. Cruston—Set for March 28th.

Wisecarver vs. Fitch—Continued to March 28th.

Rice vs. Beyer, insolvents—Dropped from calendar to be restored on motion without notice.

Wright vs. Richards—Submitted on argument of counsel.

Savings Bank vs. Badger—Continued to March 28th.

Ricksecker vs. Ricksecker—Continued to March 13th.

Sheplar vs. Ballard—Motion to strike out denied; ten days to answer; demurrer overruled.

Crabtree vs. Crabtree—Submitted on testimony of Court Commissioner.

A Boy's Composition on Sidewalks.

George, the harnessmaker, has asked the INDEX man what a sidewalk is, and the INDEX remarks: "Some people we know of in this town say a side-walk is a side-walk." That is all right, and so is a common fraction a fraction and a boy is a boy. Such definition will not do, and we boys and girls must do better than that or we will be sent to the bottom of the class. A side-walk or foot-path is for people to walk on and the middle of a street is for wagons, buggies, horses, cows, bicycles or anything that has got wheels, except baby carriages and children's cycles. The people walk on the sides of a driveway because wagons and horses need more room than people. Sidewalks are made of planks, stone, cement or gravel and should be swept clean every day.

JOHNNIE BRIGHT.

Sonoma, March 14th, 1895.

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

Some months ago I, the undersigned, was handed ten dollars by the City Marshal with an explanation which I did not understand. After coming home I found it to be county aid and it was immediately returned. As I have recently heard that a certain party in this town circulated a petition which was sent to the Board of Supervisors with a request to grant me a monthly allowance it is only just to myself to state that I have never requested any one to do so, and in justification to my relations I shall state that there is no need of such allowance and I do not think there ever will be. As a reprimand to the party who circulated the petition, but whose name I do not wish to mention, I sincerely hope that he done so thoughtlessly and not willfully malicious.

R. F. FOWLER.

Sonoma, March 15th, 1895.

In the fall of 1893 a son of Mr. T. A. McFarland, a prominent merchant of Live Oak, Sutter county, Cal., was taken with a very heavy cold. The pains in his chest were so severe that he had spasms and was threatened with pneumonia. His father gave him several large doses of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy which broke up the cough and cured him. Mr. McFarland says whenever his children have croup he invariably gives them Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and it always cures them. He considers it the best cough remedy in the market. For sale by all dealers.

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ALL TAX-PAYERS ARE REQUIRED by the Constitution to annually make and deliver to the Assessor a statement, under oath, setting forth specially all the Real and Personal property owned by such person, or in his possession, or under his control, at 12 o'clock meridian on the first Monday in March.

PERSONAL PROPERTY.

The Assessor must collect the taxes on all Personal Property, when, in his opinion, said taxes are not a lien upon real property sufficient to secure the payment of the taxes. The Assessor must collect such taxes at the time of making the assessment.

POLL TAXES.

Every male inhabitant of this State over twenty-one and under sixty years of age, except paupers, insane persons and Indians not taxed, must annually pay a STATE POLL TAX of two dollars, also every male inhabitant in the several road districts over twenty-one and under fifty-five must annually pay a ROAD POLL TAX of two dollars, between the first Monday in March and the first Monday in July. The Assessor must demand payment of Poll Tax of every person liable therefor, and on the neglect or refusal of such person to pay the same, he must collect by seizure and sale of any personal property owned by such person.

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I will be in Sonoma every SATURDAY to receive assessments from tax-payers,

G. S. HARRIS, Deputy County Assessor.

Land Notice.

LAND OFFICE AT SAN FRANCISCO. Cal., March 8, 1895. Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Register and Receiver at San Francisco, Cal, on MONDAY, APRIL 29, 1895, viz: FREDERICK W. BROWN, Pre-emption D. S No. 27,121, for the lots 5, 6, 7 and 8, Sec. 19, T. 6, N., R. 5 W., M. D. M.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Peter Van Bobber, J. La Franky, J. Nordwell, I. Teas, all of Agua Caliente, Cal.

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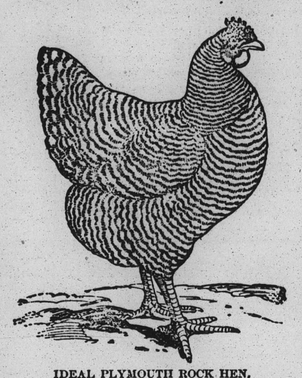

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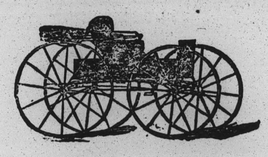

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SONOMA INDEX-TRIBUNE.

SONOMA, MARCH 16, 1895.

CITY OFFICIAL PAPER.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Meat tender and juicy at Weyl's meat market. *

The Sonoma House is a resort for families visiting Sonoma. *

The best of beef, mutton, pork, veal, sausages, etc., at Weyl's meat market. *

Schocken always keeps on hand a complete stock of fresh groceries and dry goods. *

Weyl's meat market is supplied with everything kept in a first-class butcher shop. *

Sixteen members of the Petaluma Bicycle Club visited Sonoma on their wheels last Sunday.

The Sonoma House, Chas. Stein proprietor, is a popular resort for commercial travelers. *

Families visiting Sonoma will find the Sonoma House a first-class hotel in every respect. *

Visitors to Sonoma on business or pleasure will find the Sonoma House as conducted by Chas. Stein the hotel of Sonoma. *

The meals to be had at the Sonoma House, now kept by Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Stein, are the best to be had in any hotel north of San Francisco. *

Nearly all women have good hair, though many are gray and few are bald. Hall's Hair Renewer restores the natural color and thickens the growth of the hair.

Deputy Assessor Harris gives notice in another column that he will be in his office in this place every Saturday for the purpose of receiving assessments on real estate and personal property.

A heavy frost prevailed throughout the valley last Thursday and Friday mornings. Up to the present time it is impossible to tell how much damage, if any, has been done to the fruit crop.

The charter members of the Sonoma Bicycle Club will meet in Union Hall to-morrow at 2 o'clock for the purpose of adopting a constitution and by-laws and otherwise perfecting an organization.

Now is the time to get a fine farm at a low price. We are offering three particular bargains this month. We have one farm for $4,000, another for $5,000 and one for $8,500. For further particulars inquire at this office.

Mrs. T. S. Hawkins, Chattanooga, Tenn., says "Shiloh's Vitalizer saved my life.' I consider it the best remedy for a debilitated system I ever used." For dyspepsia, kidney or liver trouble it excels. Price 75cts.

The first snow of the season was observed by early risers last Wednesday morning on the high mountains west of town. After sunrise it quickly disappeared under the influence of the warm rays of old Sol. Early the same morning there was a slight fall of rain in the valley, but not sufficient to lay the dust.

The bicycle race which took place on Napa street last Sunday afternoon between one of the fastest riders of Petaluma and Frank Weems, the speediest wheelman of the Sonoma Bicycle Club, was won by the latter. The start was even, but the finish was not, Frank ending about fifteen feet in the lead, notwithstanding the fact that he rode a sixty-five geared wheel while the one rode by his opponent was geared much higher. It is now the intention of the winner of the race to run against Pink Eye, the fastest saddle horse in Sonoma Valley.

Apricots will be almost a total failure in Sonoma Valley this season. The trees commenced to blossom a week or two ago and gave promise of a good crop, but for some unknown cause they set in to bleeding and the blossoms dried up and fell off. The Bartlett pear crop will be short and it is the opinion of the owner of one of the finest pear orchards in this section that there will be only half a crop. Peaches and prunes promise well and there will be a good crop of each.

Mr. Ed. Wegner desires us to publish the following extract from a letter of Chas. M. Gutfeld, of Reedley, Fresno Co., Cal., as he handles the remedy referred to and wants his customers to know what a splendid medicine it is:

"It is with pleasure I tell you that by one day's use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy I was relieved of a very severe cold. My head was completely stopped up and I could not sleep at night. I can recommend this remedy." A cold nearly always starts in the head and afterwards extends to the throat and lungs. By using this remedy freely as soon as the cold has been contracted it will cure the cold at once and prevent it from extending to the lungs.

If you want the very best of wine, liquors or cigars go to the Sonoma House, and you will be politely served by Mr. Chas. Stein *

THE STEIGER BATTERY CASE

Exciting Race Between the Constabulary of Sonoma and the Defendant.

Old Man Steiger "Gets There" in the Race but is Convicted and Fined $40.

The case of the People vs. Ed. Steiger, charged with battery upon the person of Mrs. Dick Lachman was called in Justice Cheney's court Thursday morning at 9 o'clock.

Assistant District Attorney Butts, the twelve jurors, the Judge, the Constables, the witnesses for the prosecution and a gaping crowd of spectators were all there on time, but the defendant, who had been released on the preliminary examination on his own recognizance to answer the charge, did not materialize.

The Judge appeared displeased, the jurors growled at the detention and lawyer Butts looked wise. A bench warrant was then issued by Judge Cheney and armed with the papers the entire constabulary of Sonoma and Embarcadero jumped into a go-cart and started in quest of Steiger.

After proceeding as far as Agua Rica, two miles from town, the defendant was met heading toward Sonoma by the officers—Robin and Ohm—who essayed to serve the papers on him. But old Steiger was too foxy to be caught in such a trap, and whipping up his skinny white nag passed the officers with a rush and made a bee line for town. The constabulary followed in hot pursuit. Then commenced an exciting two-mile race, the one essaying to get into court to purge himself of contempt and the other to overtake him, serve the papers and make an additional fee.

The race was nip and tuck for over a mile, and as the defendant and the officers rounded the corner at the foot of Napa street it was seen that the former was slightly in the lead which he maintained to a finish.

Steiger having won the race, jumped out of his cart, hastened into court and being purged of contempt, the following gentlemen were sworn as jurors to try the case: C. H. Wise, Henry Seipp, H. Appleton, H. E. Boyes, T. M. Dunn, L. Breitenbach, Matthew Watt, A. Brandt, B. Whitten, John Skinner, Otto Wagner and John Revie.

Assistant District Attorney Butts represented the People. Steiger, being without counsel, conducted his own defense, and, as remarked by lawyer Butts, "he was no spring chicken either."

Mrs. Lachman was the first witness called for the prosecution. She testified, in substance, that Steiger entered her premises, her husband being at the time absent, and that she ordered him off. That he became angry, seized her, threw her to the ground and dragged her around by the hair of the head, pulling her hair out by the roots.

Dr. Davis for the prosecution testified that Mrs. Lachman was in a delicate condition.

Deputy Sheriff Ohm testified that he found on the ground where the struggle took place strands of hair that had evidently been pulled out of the woman's head by defendant, and the hair was placed in evidence.

Several other witnesses testified both for prosecution and defense but their evidence was unimportant.

Steiger, in his own behalf, testified that he owned the ranch on which the Lachman's reside. That he went there to collect rent long overdue. That he was met at the entrance to the farm by Mrs. Lachman, who was armed with a broomstick and accompanied by a big dog. That when he jumped the fence and entered on the premises she sicked the dog on him and struck him several times with the broomstick. That she also called him a vile name and that he acted on the defensive.

After the testimony was all in attorney Butts made his opening argument to the jury and was followed by the defendant, who had an uphill row to hoe, as the sympathies of both jury and spectators were on the side of Mrs. Lachman.

Then Mr. Butts delivered the closing argument. At the outset he smiled on the defendant with one eye and winked slyly at the jury with the other and blandly prefaced his address with the remark that he had nothing against Mr. Steiger, in fact had never seen the man before, and as a sworn officer of the law he was present simply to do justice.

This seemed to please the defendant mightily and a cheerful, hopeful smile lit up his countenance and played around the corners of his mouth merrily. For did not the kind and gentle manner of the prosecuting officer mean well for him? Did it not signify that he was to be let down easy by the smiling and innocent-looking Mr. Butts? Surely it did.

But Mr. Butts got down to business, the smile vanished, his face took on a different expression—clouds took the place of sunbeams on his classic countenance. He was like a meek lamb changed into a roaring lion. In tones of thunder he denounced the act of defendant, and went for him hammer and tongs.

The defendant's smile changed to a frown, but he took his medicine in grim silence.

At the conclusion of Mr. Butt's argument, which was at times interrupted by applause, the jury retired and on the first ballot found defendant guilty as charged.

The verdict of the jury met with general approval.

Judge Cheney then imposed a fine of $40 on defendant, which he paid after which he was discharged from custody.

Death of Mrs. B. F. Campbell.

Mrs. Esmarilda E. Campbell, wife of Mr. B. F. Campbell, died in San Francisco last Saturday evening from the effects of a dangerous surgical operation performed by several noted surgeons of that city the Saturday previous. Mrs. Campbell had been a sufferer for several months and it was decided that the only hope of saving her life was to remove an ovarian tumor, which was slowly but surely sapping her life away. The operation was successfully performed and Mrs. Campbell was almost out of danger when in a fit of delirium she unconsciously during her struggles reopened the wound caused by the surgeon's knife and died from exhaustion.

The news of her death was a great shock to the people of this valley by whom she was greatly beloved and respected. The deceased was born in this place thirty-seven years ago and spent her childhood and young womanhood days among the people of this valley, to whom she greatly endeared herself by her gentle ways and womanly qualities.

The remains were brought up from San Francisco Sunday evening for interment in the family plat in Mountain Cemetery, the funeral taking place at 2 o'clock Monday in the presence of a large number of relatives and friends.

Tom Geary.

Hon T. J. Geary has returned home from Washington with his family. He is now out of politics and will settle down to the practice of law. It is probable that he will practice in San Francisco, but for the present he will remain in Santa Rosa. During the recent session Congressman Geary devoted much time and patient investigation to the subject of the Nicaragua Canal measure and made great efforts in its behalf. He thinks the present owners of the franchise were largely to blame for its failure. To the Senate bill there were many objections in the lack of safeguards for the Government's interests and in privileges for the owners of the franchise. In fact it was a wholly one-sided bill and that is what the advocates of the Senate bill wanted. A bill fair to the government was not wanted and on this account the failure of Mr. Geary to get an acceptable bill before the House is largely due. In all such enterprises there is always some cormorants who want the Government to put up all the money and give them a monopoly of profits.—*Democrat.*

GLEN ELLEN.

Glen Ellen now has three bicycle riders.

George W. Beatty is laying a new floor in his slaughter house.

The Glen Ellen Grange will give a social hop next Saturday evening.

The Heenan place north of town has been sold to San Francisco parties.

Quite a number of our people are confined to their homes with the la grippe.

James Law of Sonoma, formerly Mayor of this place, passed through town last Monday.

F. Parker, Jr., of Mare Island visited his father at this place last Saturday and Sunday.

A survey was made last Monday of the new Congregational Church lot on the O'Donnell farm.

M. Schmidt, formerly an employee on the McEwen farm, but now a resident of San Jose, visited his many Glen Ellen friends last week.

A resident of Kenwood was brought before Justice Gibson of this place last Saturday for illegal fishing. The decision of the Judge in the case was immense.

N. R. Hansen, who recently leased the Glen Ellen picnic grounds, is making extensive preparations for the coming summer picnics.

REMINGTON.

Glen Ellen, March 8, 1895.

A High Compliment.

Boltot, Conn.—"I am very much pleased with the effect of your Simmons Liver Regulator and have recommended it to a good many friends."—E. A. Rose. Your druggist sells it in powder or liquid, the powder to be taken dry or made into a tea.

FACT AND FANCY.

BY JEDWIN NEBWAME.

How long, ye Gods, must we suffer? Does some dire doom o'er hang the State? Is honor lost? Is truth dethroned?

How fraught with woe the present seems. Our wealthy citizens are on the verge of ruin. The poor are whirling in the maelstrom even now. The mother has scarce strength to give milk to her babe; the father prays in vain for work and despair seizes him as the wan cheeks of his child pictures the wolf at the door. The farmers of the State are in debt, their farms are mortgaged, interest falls due and ruin stares all alike in the face. The people are in trouble and like all people in such condition they have put reliance and trust in their representatives. Promises were made that this Legislature would be a model. Retrenchment was the word. We hoped for the best; we are betrayed for gold. The Southern Pacific is, as usual, at the bottom, but what are we to do when men betray a public trust? The law, you say, will take care of them. What per cent of criminals are punished, pray tell? How often do we hear of murder and how seldom of hanging? The foundations of the State are shaken. Corruption does win more than honesty for the time being, but it is so only because those in authority are dishonest.

The people are sovereign; they are the source whence all authority, dignity and power are derived. The trouble with our Government at present is that this sovereignty—the people—is not assertive enough. To be sure at general elections we vote on constitutional amendments, some of which have vitality and significance enough to be put in the constitution, but the majority of them should be passed in the form of Legislative bills.

Some immediate and effective way of getting at these defamers of justice ought to be devised. Legislative rotteness will never be eradicated by the members themselves. The body is so diseased that the limbs cannot act without collapsing. The stench is sickening.

It is a fact that in this country the poor man cannot get justice. Lawyers are leeches, they put on all the traffic will bear. Mr. Delmas has not as high an order of mind as Von Holst and yet he receives perhaps ten times as much salary. Vol Holst is an historian and holds the Professorship in History at the University of Chicago. Mr. Delmas is a lawyer. He gets what he can. Only the rich can employ him and those of like ability. The poor man has to be content with mediocrity.

The Southern Pacific employs men to lobby for it in Sacramento. The Southern Pacific places money at their disposal. The Southern Pacific retains the most powerful attorneys in the State to fight its battles. The people are overawed at the display of force. Their only hope is in the integrity of their Legislators. When these prove false how lost we seem. Things will go on in this manner for some time to come and then lynching may come in vogue again. The principal objection to lynching is that it lessens respect for constituted authority. But what a salutary effect would be produced by hanging some of the Southern Pacific Legislators to the dome of the Capitol.

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In this morning's *Examiner* there is a picture of one "Gertrude Corey, who slapped Count Castellane's face." The article concerning the slapping is entitled "An International Slap." Nice is it not? This Gertrude is a "living picture" in the 1492 Company playing in Chicago. She makes her living by displaying her charms. It was by such a one that the Count was slapped. Miss Gould must have been hard up for a husband. Poor thing, her pile was not high enough to give her a moral horizon. But is not a metropolitan paper taking a tumble when it finds space for such truck as Gertrude? Still Gertrude is probably a much better woman than the Count is a man and yet we had the Count dished up in every manner possible. Really decency is shocked by the publicity that a few millions give one.

Brevities.

The press is the best instrument for enlivening the mind of man and improving him as a rational moral and social being.

There is a craze for red and black plaids, or perhaps they should be called checks as they are not in any degree related to the clan plaids.

For hiccoughs wet the lobe of the ear with a volatile fluid such as ether or benzine and induce sneezing by giving a pinch of snuff or tickle the interior of the nose with a feather.

In a Shinto temple one sees hundreds of little stone images of children, placed there by parents to secure the recovery of a sick child. If the prayer is granted a red bib is hung about the neck of the image.

GOSSIP.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL---OTHER MATTERS.

[Contributed by Marjorie Dow.]

Items of a personal and social nature are thankfully received at this office and will be edited by Marjorie Dow.

Joe Ryan spent last Tuesday in Napa.

Mrs. F. Clewe is visiting relatives and friends in the metropolis.

The celebrated Roquerfort cheese is made of sheeps' milk.

H. Bates was the guest of San Francisco friends last Sunday.

Nis Matthiesen of Kenwood visited Sonoma friends last Sunday.

R. E. Perkins made a flying business trip to the metropolis last Monday.

Chester Smith of San Francisco was in town visiting friends last Sunday.

Of the twenty-seven royal families of Europe two-thirds are of German origin.

Miss Marcella Glazier visited her parents in the Bay City Saturday and Sunday last.

Mrs. McHarvey and her daughter Miss Sadie were visitors at the metropolis last Saturday.

Wm. Campbell returned last Tuesday evening from a visit to San Luis Obispo county.

W. F. Wade has recovered from his recent severe illness. Dr. Davis was the attending physician.

Mrs. Richard Evans of Clipper Gap, Placer county, is visiting relatives in this place.

Tumblers that have contained milk should never be washed in hot water as it clouds the glass permanently.

Mrs. R. G. Steele, accompanied by her little grand-daughter Constance is the guest of her son, H. H. Granice.

Mrs. D. Duhring and her daughter Miss Agnes of San Francisco spent several days this week in Sonoma.

Jas. Pieratt of Glen Ellen passed through town one day this week on his way home after an absence of several weeks in Napa.

Italy has her first woman lawyer in the person of a young woman not yet twenty-one years old, who was recently graduated with the title "doctor of laws."

S. H. Shaw, formerly of this place, but now a resident of Livermore Valley, visited friends here last Sunday. It is the intention of Mr. Shaw to return to Sonoma in the near future.

One of the handsomest compliments ever paid to the ability and energy of woman comes from the Ohio Liquor Dealers' Association, which in a formal resolution declars that the only thing it need fear is the W. C. T. U.

Mrs. Harry Fisheer, formerly of this place, but now residing at Tiburon, where Mr. Fisheer is engaged in hotel keeping, is recovering from a severe attack of influenza. She is under the care of Dr. W. K. Vance of San Rafael, also formerly of Sonoma.

Do you suppose that St. Valentine was selected as the patron of all lovers because he lost his head? That you would be really happy if you had everything you want? That men really believe one-half of the "smart" things they write about women?

The social held in the Congregational Church on Friday evening of last week was a delightful affair. About fifty young people were present, all of whom listened attentively to the attractive program which was presented. Refreshments were served by the ladies, after which the usual festivities were indulged in much to the pleasure of all in attendance. The following was the programme which was excellently rendered: Violin solo, R. M. Lee; vocal duett, Misses Helen and Eva Church; vocal solo with guitar accompaniment, Miss Claire Hope; guitar solo, Miss Annie Perry; euphonium solo, Mr. Claude Johnson.

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40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

Assessor Vanderhoof of Santa Rosa paid Sonoma an official visit one day this week.

John Bauman, at one time proprietor of the Sonoma House in this place, is now running the Broad Guage Hotel at San Bafael.

Poor man's pudding.—Two quarts of new milk, four tablespoonfuls of sugar and one of cinnamon. Bake two hours. Stir carefully a few times when it is first put in the oven.

Wm. Smith, an ex-apprentice of the INDEX-TRIBUNE office, and now employed in the mailing department of the San Francisco *Examiner*, dropped into our sanctum last Sunday. Billy, we wish you success in the race of life.

It is said to be an excellent plan to heat ground coffee thoroughly before water is added in making this necessary beverage, the theory being that the heating generates the oil in the coffee, thus giving the best flavor.

The party given at the Mervyn Hotel, Glen Ellen, on Friday evening of last week by Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Harrison was one of the most enjoyable gatherings that has taken place in Sonoma Valley for a long time. There were delegations of party-going people from Sonoma, Eldridge and Kenwood and thirty couple participated in the grand march. At 12 o'clock a delightful supper was served, after which dancing was resumed and kept up until long after midnight. The hall was well lighted and tastefully decorated.

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Notice to Creditors.

Estate of GEORGE L. WRATTEN deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY the undersigned, administrator of the Estate of George L. Wratten, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator at his residence in the Township of Sonoma, County of Sonoma, State of California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate.

EMILE K. STEVENOT,
Administrator of the Estate of George L Wratten, deceased.
Dated at Sonoma, February 2d, 1895.

Frederick T. Duhring, Attorney for Administrator.

Ordinance No 47.

An Ordinance for the protection of pedestrians and others.

The Board of Trustees of the City of Sonoma do ordain as follows:

Section 1. It shall be unlawful for any person to ride a velocipede, bicycle or other noiseless vehicle or machine of like character on or over the sidewalk of any street of Sonoma City. Riders of such vehicles or machines passing along or over any street of said city after dark are required to have attached to the vehicle or machine on which they are riding a bell or other contrivence which they must ring or sound in good time whenever they approach a team or horseman in order to give early warning of their approach.

Section 2. Any person violating or not complying with any provision of this Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and on conviction thereof shall be punished by fine not exceeding Twenty-five Dollars or by imprisonment not exceeding twelve days.

Section 3. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

In Board of Trustees finally passed the 6th day of March, 1895.

Attest:
F. BREITENBACH, City Clerk.
Approved the 6th day of March, 1895.
J. H. SEIPP,
President Board of Trustees.

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Tennis Flannels, good variety, 5c. a yard.
Fancy Dark Dress Sateens 12½c. a yard.
Ecreue Lace Curtains 75c. a pair.
Curtain Poles with Fixtures, 25c. each.
Fancy Chevoit Dress Goods, 25c. a yard.
Ladies' Black Sateen Skirts 75c. each.
Ladies' and Childrens' Gloves, 15c. a pair.
Childrens' Handkerchiefs, 25c. a dozen.
Childrens' Seamless Hose, 10c. a pair.
Ladies' Fast Black Hose 15c. a pair.
Ladies' Gray Wool Undervests, 75c. each.
Childrens' Colored Wool Hose, 16⅔c. a pair.
Ladies' and Childrens' Jackets, half price.
Ladies' Sealette Jackets, $10.00 each.
Mens' Bull Breeches, never rip, $1.00 a pair.
Boys' Bull Breeches, never rip, 85c. a pair.
Mens' Everyday Business Suits, $3.95 each.
Mens' Heavy Cotton Pants, 95c. a pair.
Boys' Heavy Cotton Pants, 25c. a pair.
Boys' Short Pant Suits, $1.50 each.
Mens' Heavy Cassimere Suits, $7.50 each.
Mens' Gray Merino Underwear, 25c. each.
Mens' Oil Tan Goat Gloves, 35c. a pair.
Mens' Heavy Cotton Socks, 5c. a pair.
Mens' Black Sateen Overshirts, 45c. each.
Mens' Fancy Tennis Flannel Shirts, 25c. each.
Mens' Heavy Buckle Plough Shoes, $1.50 a pair.
Mens' Medium Dress Shoes, $1.50 a pair.
Ladies' Fine Kid Shoes, $1.25 a pair.
Childrens' Grain School Shoes, 75c., 85c., and 95c. a pair.
Childrens' Fine Kid Shoes, $1.00 a pair.
Boys' Heavy Rivited Shoes, $1.50 a pair.
Boys' Good Wool Hats, 50c. each.
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THE DISCOVERY OF ARGON.

Coincidences Connected With the Experiments Made by Scientists.

Professor Ramsay explained in an interview last week how he discovered argon, the new element in the atmosphere which is now exciting the wonder of the scientific world. He said: "The impulse came directly from Lord Rayleigh. He was much impressed by the fact that atmospheric nitrogen was heavier than chemical nitrogen. This might be due to an admixture of lighter gas with chemical nitrogen or to the presence of a gas of a greater weight in atmospheric nitrogen. Lord Rayleigh was inclined to the former explanation, and some four years ago he consulted me about the manufacture of chemical nitrogen.

"I regarded the second explanation as the true one, and after he had been experimenting for some time I asked his permission to make experiments on my own account. He never hesitated to accord his consent, and I set to work. It was dreary waiting for results that never came, but there were times of high excitement as my suspicions became probabilities, and probabilities grew into triumphant certainty. At length, in July last, I was able to send Lord Rayleigh three ounces of the new gas.

"He replied at once. He also had some of the gas. Our investigations, conducted independently, had led to simultaneous success, as has been the case with so many discoveries and inventions. There was still another coincidence a little later. As soon as we got the gas we wanted to find out its nature. Was it a chemical combination or a mechanical mixture? Was it monatomic or diatomic, simple or compound? Professor Olszewski of Cracow was experimenting with it in communication with me. By the application of heat he made the discovery that there was no loss of heat through intermolecular motion. We made out that argon was monatomic. I wrote the news to Cracow. My letter had hardly gone when I received a communication from my confrere. He had also suspected the monatomic nature of the new gas, but for another reason. Argon weighs 20 times as much as hydrogen and 16 times as much as oxygen. He had expected the heavier gas to liquefy at a higher temperature. To his surprise, it liquefied at a lower temperature. There was only one conclusion, and that was argon was monatomic. But it was curious that letters announcing the same information should cross."—New York Sun's London Correspondent.

AN APPEAL ON WALL PAPER.

Getting Out the Edition of a Newspaper Under Trying Conditions.

A recent issue of the Callaway (Neb.) Tribune was printed on wall paper and contained the following explanations: "Aid is being sent here for the farmers, but we can't issue on aid, flour or a piece of side meat, and having run all our white paper through we are using up the wall paper given us, which is about exhausted, and only the office towel is left, which has not been washed for seven years. So we ask our brother printers to consider our situation, with a family to support, with nothing coming in, and we know their ever generous disposition will see some way to contribute a little paper or a couple hours' work to keep my paper going for the good it will do the outside world in telling them how this afflicted, drought stricken district is getting along; also to enable us to get shoes and proper wraps for our wife and four children. All communications will be cheerfully answered, and any donation will be acknowledged in the press, whether for us or to be divided with other printers in this district."

Ex-Speaker Reed's New Cane.

Everybody who knows Mr. Reed at all knows his abhorrence of loud or flashy dress. He dislikes jewelry. His scarfpin, when he wears one, is of the most modest kind. No rings sparkle on his fingers, and nothing could be more unobtrusive than his watch chain.

Well, the other day, when Mr. Reed was in Providence, he was presented with a cane. It was an enormous affair, with a head as big as a football and with a great amount of gold carving and elaborate filigree work. Mr. Reed gasped as he clutched the cane, but he carried it bravely until he settled himself down in a railway car. Then he took a newspaper and quietly wrapped up the cane. He swathed the massive head in his handkerchief, and he sent the entire outfit into retirement under the seat. When he reached his hotel in this city, he handed the bundle to his wife. He breathed a sigh of relief as he saw it consigned to a closet, and when it comes forth again it will be because there is a moving day in the Reed household.—Washington Star.

Freezing of Pipes Prevented.

An English firm is introducing an automatic air valve intended to prevent the bursting of pipes by frost. The valve is soldered into the water pipe at the highest position of the building and normally is kept closed by the pressure of the water inside the pipes. In time of frost the main cock is closed, and then by opening the lowest tap in the building the water in the house pipes can be run off, air coming through the air valve to take its place. Thus the pipes, being filled with air, cannot freeze. On turning on the water from the main again the air valve closes automatically.—Philadelphia Record.

Mrs. Yates Defeated,

Mrs. Yates, who as mayor of Onehunga, New Zealand, did so much to discourage other communities from making women mayors, has not been re-elected. Her fellow citizens have repudiated her and placed a mere man in the mayoral chair. But Mrs. Yates is going to have her revenge on a world that watched her czarlike rule without sympathy. She is going to make a tour and lecture.—New York World.

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JAPANESE HEROISM.

His Body Guarded the Magazine After He Had Been Shot to Death.

In the Japan Weekly Mail are two instances of heroism during the war that illustrate the pluck of the Jap. The best is the story of a brave seaman on board the Itsujushima Kan, who was shot to death while endeavoring to save the powder magazine. The man was a marine who had been told to stand as sentry or guard at the entrance of the powder magazine. During the hottest part of the naval engagement, that of Hai-Yang, the Itsujushima was so steered that the shots of the enemy's small arms seemed to concentrate in the vicinity of this vital point, and noticing this the sentry fearlessly endeavored to cover the whole doorway with his body. In his attempt he was wholly successful, not a bullet reaching the interior of the magazine. When the affair was over, relief was sent to the faithful guardian, who was seen still standing at his post, with a somewhat troubled expression on his countenance. He was discovered to be stone dead and literally honeycombed with bullets, of which no less than 36 had struck him. Of course death had ensued long before his wounds reached that terrible total, but even in death his body had continued to guard the post kept so fearlessly and so well in life.

The Fuzoku Gubo gives an account of a very daring feat performed by an infantry soldier just before the Ping-Yang battle. Boats were imperatively necessary, but every available craft in the neighborhood had either been requisitioned by the Chinese or else moored on their side of Taidong river. One of the Japanese volunteered to go across alone and fetch at least one of these boats, and on receiving permission to make the trial he swam across, mostly under water and in the face of a storm of bullets, unmoored one of the smaller junks and towed her back again to his starting place. He escaped without a wound, much to the satisfaction of his regiment. The bold fellow is said to be the stoutest and most intrepid swimmer in the army.

A CHURCH BILLIARD ROOM.

Novel Departures In the Fitting Up of a New Congregation House.

The Adams (Mass.) Congregational church recently dedicated a congregation house and parsonage containing some radical modern features. The house, besides containing more completely the features found in parish houses, has a bowling alley, a well equipped gymnasium and a billiard and pool room, the most radical feature of all. The auditorium has a platform with footlights, as near an approach to a stage as could well be built in connection with a church, even in the midst of liberal Adams folk. The church has a well fitted kitchen, lots of table linen, silverware and dishes. It has reading rooms, classrooms and a study for the pastor.

The bowling alley is in the basement and is always full of merry youths at accessible hours. The gymnasium in the attic is constantly patronized. Last week a class of young men was organized, and Professor Seeley of Williams college was engaged for instructor. The young women have become jealous, and it has been decided to prohibit the use of the gymnasium by the boys for several hours each day and turn it over to the girls, who are determined to form an athletic association too.

The church is not selfish. It has thrown open the doors of its fine congregation house to the whole community, believing that a bettering of social conditions is a step toward purification.

There are one or two of the old conservative element who look unfavorably upon the congregation house and its well patronized pool and billiard tables. One says:

"By and by there will be a saloon connected with every church. If you put in billiard tables, bowling alleys and gymnasiums and say as long as the boys will play they had better play at church, why not put in a bar, for as long as men will drink why not let them drink at church?"—Boston Journal.

England's Game Laws.

While in most things England may be considered as abreast of the times she is hopelessly to the rear as regards her game laws. The absurdity of the latter as well as their flagrant injustice, savoring of the feudal ages, was strikingly illustrated the other day when young Lord Stratheden and Campbell was able to get a sentence of imprisonment and fine passed upon one of his tenant farmers who had committed the crime of shooting a hare on a field which he leased from the peer. This was held by the board of magistrates, consisting mainly of fellow landowners and friends of Lord Stratheden, to constitute the crime of poaching.

A Good Scheme.

An English gentleman has invented a life saving apparatus for use on a lake on his own place which is so simple that one like it could easily be put on every sheet of water frequented by skaters. Two broad planks, about 8 feet long, are placed on sled runners, and these are joined together by a rope fully 20 feet in length. A life preserver is fastened to the center of the rope, and in case of accident two people, by throwing themselves on the planks, could easily steer them to the hole, one on either side, when the life preservers could be grasped by the one whose life is in danger.—Philadelphia Press.

A Landmark Removed.

It has been discovered that Washington rock, a historical old landmark near Lambertville, N. J., has been broken up into paving blocks and shipped away by quarrymen who leased the land. It is claimed that Washington used this rock as an observatory. From it the city of Trenton, ten miles distant, could be plainly discerned. The citizens are very indignant over the destruction of the landmark.

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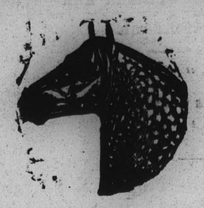

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7.17 PM	7.15 PM		3.37 PM	2.55 PM
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5.52 PM	3.37 PM		7.15 PM	7.17 PM
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6.28 AM	8.10 AM	Sebastopol and intermediates	10.25 AM	10.40 AM
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